

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1148

By Powers

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Frank McCullah of LaFollette.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Frank McCullah of LaFollette; and

WHEREAS, Frank McCullah was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, for more than thirty years, Frank McCullah served with acumen and alacrity as a firefighter and fire boss with the Department of Forestry; and

WHEREAS, having performed his appointed duties in an admirable manner that distinguished him as a credit to both his community and his profession, Frank McCullah was a selfless individual who always put others first; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McCullah was a member of the Southern Cruisers Motorcycle Club; and

WHEREAS, Frank McCullah was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, he will be mourned but fondly remembered by his son, Derek (Amy) McCullah; his grandchildren, Abby (Hunter) Bennett, Bradley Fowler, and Bryce Fowler; a great-grandson, MacIntyre Bennett; a sister, Deloris "Peep" Allen; a niece, Peggy (Louis) Brown; a great-niece, Alesha Jo Allen (Ryan) Williams; and several cherished relatives and friends; and

WHEREAS, he was preceded in death by his wife, Bonnie McCullah; a son, Stevie Lynn McCullah; his parents, Reverend Loyd McCullah and Ella Wilburn McCullah; a nephew, Jimmy Allen; and a brother-in-law, Harrison Allen; and

WHEREAS, Mr. McCullah leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Frank McCullah, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. McCullah.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.